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M. H. THATCHER

Lands Position as Head of the Canal Zone.

His Name Sent to the United States Senate by President Last Monday.

"Washington, March 28.—The President sent to the Senate to-day the name of M. H. Thatcher, of Louisville, for Governor of the Canal Zone at \$14,000 a year. The nomination was sent in following a conference which Senator Bradley had with the President to-day.

"In the official appointment sent to the Senate, Thatcher's title is given as 'member of the Ishman Canal Commission.' It is understood that he will be designated to fill the place and perform the duties that Gov. Blackburn performed."

This appointment is a decided victory and at the same time one of the wisest and most generally satisfactory one that could have been made.

Maurice Hudson Thatcher is a gentleman of the true character; he has no vices and is admired by all who know him, regardless of any political affiliation.

He is as true as steel and a tireless worker for those whose cause he espouses. It was Thatcher who led the fight in Kentucky for Fairbanks, and had he and his friends been given that fairness and honest count that they tendered the opposing side, the instruction of the State would have been overwhelmingly for Thatcher's man. But he submitted gracefully and took up the battle for the nominee and raised his voice in many parts of the Commonwealth and did more to satisfy the threatened breach in the ranks of the party than any man in the State.

His appointment as State Inspector and Examiner by Gov. Wilton, was a reward for services rendered the party, and the manner in which he has filled the office, shows that he was the proper man in the proper place, as he has saved thousands of dollars for the State that would otherwise have been lost.

This appointment is a worthy recognition on merit and we predict that Mr. Thatcher will so well deport himself in this new position, that when he returns from the Canal Zone, the people of Kentucky will want to honor him with the Governorship of Kentucky.

LEGAL LEARNING

Is Valued at \$100 a Pound by a Judge.

Special from San Francisco, Cal., to the St. Louis Post Dispatch, of March 26th, says: "Legal learning is worth about \$100 a pound, not much more than opium in these parts; and, according to the opinion of Superior Judge James Coffey, given in a damage suit here.

"The attorney for a young man who had won a suit against the United Railroads had asked the Court to allow him a certain fee, more than the young man thought the attorney was worth to him.

"After the arguments, Judge Coffey said: 'Balliff, take the papers of this wise man of the law outside and have them weighed. We shall allow him an even \$100 a pound for his legal learning.'

"The balliff reported the papers weighed two pounds and a half.

"So be it," said the Judge, "the learned counselor is entitled to \$250. Call the next case."

The decision, it is reported, will be appealed.

OBITUARY.

Died, at Emanuel Station, with his only daughter, Mrs. Jesse Turner, and family, old Uncle Parker S. Calaham, after being wearied with life's toils for nearly 77 years, passed from this vain world of woe and weeping, to where the good and true can have eternal rest.

Brother P. S. Calaham was born March 13th, 1833, in Lee County, Va., making his age be almost 77 years.

At an early age he emigrated from his birth place to Knox county and married Miss Parrott, on Big Richland Creek. She died and left one son, James Calaham who was born March 13th, 1863, and lived with his father till he and his father had kept house together for a long time by themselves, and treated every one who came to give them a call, with the utmost hospitable care.

The writer, while engaged in public business, 30 years ago, always found Brother Calaham and his son with their doors open and their house a welcome resting place, for those hungry and cold, and the good biscuits eaten, which Brother Calaham made and baked with his own hands, I can never forget on those occasions.

His benevolent son James married a Miss Mary J. Woolom of good intelligence and benevolence. He died soon after his marriage.

Brother Calaham married the second wife and he had born unto her, one daughter, Cory Turner, wife of Jesse Turner, who is the only heir of the deceased brother, left to mourn and cherish the memory of a precious and good father. You, little children of Mr. and Mrs. Turner, your dear grand pa is gone from you for a little season. He can never return to cherish you any more on earth, but you can go to him.

Brother Calaham had only belonged to the church a short time joining the Christian Church in August, 1909, but his walks all through his life showed that he lived under christian principles, for he walked in the light of truth, in the light of justice, and treated every body just as he would have them treat him.

He lived a life so loyal to his duty that no person can speak a word of harm against his character, but only to know him meant only to love him.

We can not see his walks on earth any more. He has fought the good fight of 77 years and gone to dwell where all ages in harmony meet.

Francis M. Reese.

NO TUBERCULOSIS BY 1915.

The State Charities Aid Society of New York has adopted for its war cry, "No Unreared For Tuberculosis by 1915." It is a good slogan. Its fulfillment would cost but little in comparison with the unmeasured and immeasurable benefits to the State of New York.

It would mean that within a few years, another generation or two at the most, there would be no tuberculosis among the millions of inhabitants of that imperial State. The example set by that State would lead to a diffusion of knowledge and improvement of conditions in other States that would preserve the health and save the lives of millions of human beings.

Even a partial fulfillment of the desire of the State Charities Aid Society is worth striving for. The warfare waged in the campaign of education which has been carried on for the past few years, teaching that tuberculosis is a preventable, communicable, curable disease, has reduced the deaths from the "white scourge" in New York from 114 per cent of the whole to 94 per cent, and is saving every year an army of over twenty-five thousand people.

There was hope that Kentucky would join the ranks of the States

which lead in the crusade against the "white plague." The Legislature two years ago passed an act to establish a State Sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis. The Republican Governor vetoed that bill. The same bill was introduced in the Senate and House this year and a Democratic Legislature failed to pass it, being more concerned about other matters than about the public health.

No man ought to be permitted to go to the next Legislature who is not committed to vote for the establishment of a State Sanatorium for tuberculosis; no man ought to be elected Governor who does not pledge himself to aid, instead of to hinder, the campaign against the greatest scourge of the human race.

The people in the mountains of Kentucky are particularly concerned in the success of this campaign, the mountains of Kentucky containing a larger percentage of tuberculosis patients in proportion to the population than any other section of this State or, with but few exceptions, of any other State.

Saved By Oysters.

"Rubber oysters and April 1st laid the foundation of my success," said a millionaire hotel man.

"I had a small saloon in them days, and things looked very black. They looked, in fact, like bankruptcy. So, in desperation, I cut an old rubber doormat into oyster-shaped pieces on April 1st, and fried them in egg and bread-crumbs to a tasty brown.

"There was only one man in the bar when I fetched in that dish of smoking rubber oysters. His eyes glittered, and he grabbed a fork, jabbed it into a big fellow, and took a hungry bite.

"Seeing the surprised look that spread over his face, I turned away to hide a smile. He gave an awkward laugh and said: 'Them's fine oysters. I'll bring a couple of the boys in to sample them.'

"Sure enough, he brought two friends a half-hour later. The friends no sooner saw the appetizing rubber oysters than, setting down their beer, they each sang their teeth in one.

"They, too, sent in friends for oysters. I fried up no less than three old doormats and two over-shoes that April Fool. The whole town laughed and the papers printed funny stories about my joke. My joint got real popular. In short, I was saved—saved from bankruptcy by rubber oysters."

Greeting to R. Rev.

Denis O'Donaghue, D. D.

(From St. Catherine's Convent, Springfield, Kentucky.)

To the old State in the Southland, Where the grass-tops wave in blue, To a halcyon shore of learning, Bordered by Pinet and the few Zealous priests who labored with him, Yearning that distill come to feast At God's holy altar, chosen

Thou shalt be his faithful priest, In his hidden life; away From the world's cares and distractions Thou shalt study, wait and pray, Swift those years passed; thou shalt leave us Called to the far of men's salvation, Called to break the Bread of Life, To the old State in the Southland, Where the grass-tops still are blue, And our welcome shall ring true! Bordered with the weight of office, Spent thy life with works of zeal, Welcome back to old Kentucky—

We acclaim the pride we feel, Welcome thou where Pinet planted, Laville and Spaulding prayed, Labored both, and wrote and ruled; And McCloskey's seal has made This vast realm of God to prosper: Welcome thou to toil, not dread; Benediction rest, forever! On thy consecrated hand.

MEDICAL MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Knox County Medical Association next Wednesday at the Court house, at which time an effort will be made to induce the Fiscal Court to secure a Hospital for our County.

WHEN TO WED.

Marry when the year is new, Always loving, kind and true.

When February birds do mate, You may wed, no dread of fate.

If you wed when March winds blow, Joy and sorrow both you'll know.

Marry in April when you can, Joy for Maiden and for Man.

Marry in the month of May, You will surely rue the day.

Marry when June roses blow, Over land and see you'll go.

They who in July do wed, Must labor always for their bread.

Whoever wed in August be, Many chances are sure to see.

Marry in September's shine, Your living will be rich and fine.

If in October you do marry, Love will come but riches tarry.

If you wed in bleak November, Only joy will come, remember.

When December's snows fall fast, Marry and true love will last.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Wilton

Gail Pengy was in Middlesboro Saturday.

Rev. J. T. Perkins preached here last Sunday.

Barton Moore was in Barboursville Sunday visiting his parents.

Wash Barnett and John DeMarcus were in Williamsburg Monday on business.

Henry Barton, who has been in West Va. for the past few months, returned home Saturday.

Earl Wallace returned to Williamsburg Tuesday morning, where he has been attending school.

F. W. Egner, who has been attending Herea College, returned home Wednesday to visit his parents at this place.

Indian Creek

Ben Campbell was in Wilton Sunday.

Byrd Helton is on the sick list this week.

J. M. Engle was in Barboursville Saturday.

S. B. Reese was in Barboursville Saturday.

John Campbell was in Barboursville Saturday.

J. H. Cooper was in Corbin Monday on business.

J. R. Sexton and wife visited homelocks Sunday.

W. H. Campbell was in Corbin Thursday on business.

Joe Helton was calling on Miss Maud Smith, last Sunday.

Jess Engle, of Wilton, was visiting Solomon Williams Sunday.

M. B. Cooper was on Lynn Camp Creek last week on business.

Sarah Cooper was the pleasant guest of Otto Helton, Sunday.

The Sunday School at Indian Gap was re-organized last Sunday.

Barton Moore, the barber, of Wilton, passed through here Sunday enroute to Barboursville.

Neil Moore, of Corbin, was calling on his best girl here Sunday.

Bill Profit and Pat Helton were visiting W. J. Helton Thursday.

John A. Campbell and wife were visiting Mrs. W. B. Cooper Sunday.

John Smith and family made a pleasant trip to Meadow Creek Sunday.

Mr. O. N. Pritchard, of Lindsay, was calling on Miss Rosa Cooper, Sunday.

W. J. Helton and Sharp Engle were visiting relatives in Wilton Saturday.

Doc Smith and wife, of Wilton,

were visiting homelocks here Saturday and Sunday.

Luther Mackey, who is attending school at Barboursville, was calling on Miss Nannie Helton Sunday.

—[SNOWDRIFT.

Flat Lick

Henry Baker was in Barboursville Monday.

J. N. Archer was in Barboursville Saturday.

Ed Arthur, of Williamsburg, was here Thursday.

Miss Mollie Scalf was in Barboursville Saturday.

Mat Jackson, of Bright Shade, was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Scalf were in Barboursville Thursday and Friday.

J. S. Miller, of Barboursville, was here Tuesday calling on the merchants.

Misses Cora and Myrtle Boston were the guests of Miss Belle Smith Sunday.

W. B. Harris, with Mt. Pleasant Fertilizer Co., was at the Scalf House Tuesday.

Messrs. John and Floyd King and J. W. Armstrong, of Knoxville, were at the Scalf House Thursday.

W. J. Simpson, with the Wabash Baking Powder Co., of Wabash, Ind., was at the Scalf House Tuesday.

Lucile, Bertie, Harry and Willie Woodson, who are attending school at Williamsburg, visited homelocks here Sunday.

Wiley and Dewey Smith, who have been here since Friday visiting homelocks, will return to their school at London, Wednesday.

Grandma Chavis, who has been sick for several months, died Sunday evening about 5 o'clock and was buried Monday. The funeral service was conducted by J. A. Wilburn.

—[BLUE BELLS.

Walker.

Uncle George Walker is still on the sick list.

Wade Walker is going to plant four acres in soup beans.

Big Bingham attended Church at Moores Creek, last Sunday.

W. B. Platt, Post Office Inspector, visited our vicinity last Monday.

Rev. Gus Walker made a flying trip to Barboursville, last Tuesday.

The people of Walker and vicinity are very busy farming and garden ing.

Rev. Gus Walker is still representing L. R. Geinson & Co., of Rochester, New York.

Miss Birdie Hensley was the guest of the Misses Lila and Doxie Bingham, last Sunday.

Dan Bingham says he has quit fishing. We know the reason why, he can't catch nothing.

Perry Fortney and Big Bingham are going to Flat Lick Sunday. A good catch for you, girls.

James R. Walker says he had rather be in Oklahoma, or any old place than to be in the rabbit cave.

John D. Hensley is the hustling farmer, so much so that his daily average plowing is two acres.

Perry Fortney says it's cold where he has been plowing. No wonder! It's so close to the North Pole.

"Uncle" Green Carnes says everything has got so high he can not reach the staff of life with a ten foot pole.

Big Bingham and D. M. Walker are going to Hale Creek Sunday. They are anticipating a delightful time.

D. M. Walker went to see his best

girl last Sunday. He says he's not going very many more times until he pops the 7.

Dan Walker has received his drumming outfit and has gone into the business. Dan says he had rather drum than to sell furs and hides.

—[NIGHT RIDER.

LIFE TERM

Verdict Rendered by Jury Against John Henson

CHARGED WITH MURDER OF S. C. EARLY.

The trial of John Henson was concluded last Monday night, after J. C. Cloyd, the Commonwealth's Attorney, finished his address and the case was submitted to the jury.

A verdict was not rendered, however, until Tuesday morning about 9:30 o'clock, when they reported, finding the defendant, Henson, guilty, and fixing his punishment at confinement in the Penitentiary for life.

An appeal will be taken to the Court of Appeals and the case will likely be reversed and tried again at a later date.

The verdict was a great surprise to everyone, as it was generally expected that he would get off with only a light sentence if found guilty at all.

PASTOR SECURED.

There will be preaching at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning and evening, by the new pastor, Rev. Robert L. Brown. Services every first and third Sunday in each month. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Brother Brown has rented the Johnson cottage on Pine Street and will make his home in Barboursville. He is a splendid preacher and a good man.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Tuesday night, the members of the Christian Church met in their house of worship to pay their loving tribute to the memory of Elder T. M. Myers, deceased, who was at one time their beloved shepherd (in the flesh). A selection of music was rendered by the choir and members. The church was fittingly decorated for the occasion.

The Editor's Blunder.

The milliner met the editor on the street, and was telling him about her nice stock of millinery, and wished it mentioned in his paper, when the editor said: "I will mention it and that the people would be glad to see her stocking up"; when she flew into a rage and the scribe beat a hasty retreat to his bomb-proof domicile.

Mrs. B. C. Lewis is on the sick list.

Orban Miles was in Corbin Monday on business.

Mrs. Nan Hoskins visited Mrs. Sutton, in Corbin, last Sunday.

Miss Lena Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Podesta, in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Henry Brown visited her daughter, Mrs. Sutton, in Corbin, last Sunday.

Mrs. Merrill Thompson, of Dover, Mason county, is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Stratton.

D. T. Wilson has begun house-keeping in his new house on College Street, which has just been completed.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO THE

"SOMERSET HERALD."

Somerset, Ky., March 21, 1910.
Dear Mr. Coke:

I notice it the last issue of your paper, the publication of a letter purporting to have been signed by me, asking for support for Caleb Powers in his Congressional race, because he had served eight years in jail.

I wish to state that I never signed any letter asking any person to support Mr. Powers because he had been in jail, and can't believe you have a letter with such a paragraph in it.

I want to say, further, that while I never said a harmful word against Congressman Edwards in my life, and am not now making any fight against Mr. Edwards, I am for Caleb Powers in preference to any other man who might enter the race for Congress. Not because he might have been wrongfully detained in prison on his own individual account, but because he suffered more than eight long years of body and mind, that the future history of the Republican party of Kentucky might be erased of that dark blot besmeared by a determined gang of political conspirators, against the most available Republican of the Kentucky mountains. And, because he displayed in that awful contest between Right and Wrong, a matchless ability as a Jurist, Orator, and Statesman, that would entitle him to the highest honor in the gift of the people of his district.

The Republican party was fully vindicated when the entire ticket was elected in the last State Campaign, while Caleb Powers was only pardoned as a result, and came back to "his own;" which act demands an approval by the voice of the people before his vindication will be considered perfect. And, it demands it the more, since persons as you, within our own party, not only insinuate that Mr. Powers is guilty, through the columns of your paper, but you virtually declare that he is guilty.

Such tirades of abuse as you indulge in, are sufficient to fan back into flame, all those old factional hatreds and prejudices of the Hunter-Edwards stripe, which are stench to the nostrils of all decent Republicans, and from which, we, Powers' friends, had hoped to have escaped in this race. And in his nomination, we had hoped to have a harmonious blending of all factional differences that have wrought such havoc in the Republican party in our District and County in the last few years. But, alas! such seems not to be, and in view of this fact, we are made to exclaim, "Oh Judgment! thou art led to brutish beasts and men have lost their reason."

Now, Brother Coke, if you really own your "Junk-shop" as you say you do; if you are not merely a "Finger-head" as many say you are; and if you are not a "Moral coward" as you are reputed to be, you will print this letter in justice to me, to yourself, and to your friends, though you may have your "Robinson Crusoe" write a two-column comment on the same.

I herewith hand you this letter personally, and also a dollar for a renewal of your paper.

Very resp.,
W. J. Barnes.

LETTER FROM JANE.

Jane, Ky., March 21, 1910.
Editor Mountain Advocate,
Dear Sir:

From the discourse of Caleb Powers here to-day and from what I have seen of the sample copies of newspapers sent out by the supporters of Mr. Edwards, they are losing their hopes of victory. Not upon the merits of Congressman Edwards, but on certain charges and accusations they are making against Caleb Powers, chief of which is that he robbed his friends while fighting his enemies, and that he was implicated in the murder of Wm. Goebel. In other words, they charge him with being a common thief and a common murderer. So far, Caleb Powers and his friends have been making a decent campaign and not resorting to any mud slinging of any character, contenting themselves and submitting Mr. Powers' claims as a candidate upon his merits and qualifications, and what he is able to do for the district.

There are but four Republican papers in the district resorting to this campaign of abuse and slander against Mr. Powers. All of the other Republican newspapers in the district, so far as I have seen, are against Mr. Edwards' campaign, but are basing their objections to him upon clear and dignified grounds.

The four Republican newspapers abusing Mr. Powers are the Mountain Echo, the Somerset Herald, the Wayne County Outlook, and the Williamsburg Times, all of which are dominated and controlled by Mr. Edwards and his henchmen.

Mr. Edwards knows that these shameful attacks are being made upon Mr. Powers by these newspapers. Mr. Edwards is endorsing these attacks, or else he would put a stop to them, he being in position to do it. He is encouraging these attacks and sanctioning them or they would not be made. No body believes these accusations against Caleb Powers. No proof has been offered to support them. Caleb Powers demonstrated their falsity to-day beyond a shadow of a doubt. Mr. Edwards ought to have the decency and self-respect to put a stop to these lies. He ought to call off his assassins of character. He ought not to try to ride into office over the blighted character and ruined reputation of an already much abused and wrongfully used man. Mr. Edwards will never be able to do this, however much he may try. These pie-scenting and pie-fed news organs will not be able to besmear the fair name of Caleb Powers. The public will not believe their charges. It despises their falsehoods. If what this county is going to do, is any indication of what the other 18 counties in the district will do, then, it is good bye to Don C. Edwards. God hasten the day when a native born, not a man of foreign birth, will be our spokesman in the National Halls of Legislature.

Respectfully yours,

J. S. McKnight.

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Send for a book and map and see just what others are earning in this great rich section of our land.

Why toil all your days here when such a splendid opportunity is open to you. This offer will soon be withdrawn, as the land is being taken so rapidly that there will be none left in a very short time.

A good plan would be to clip the coupon at the bottom of the ad and sent it with \$5.00 and get your allotment before the best ones are gone.

the sooner you place your order, the nearer you can get to the Railroad. Write to-day and secure a home of your own. You can enter your land any time after making the first payment. The Company pays the taxes until you get your deed, when you have made your last payment. Could you ask for anything better? Act now. Opportunity knocks but once in a lifetime. Don't let it leave you without taking advantage of the greatest offer of a lifetime.

M. H. THATCHER.

The appointment of M. H. Thatcher as a member of the Panama Canal Commission, with strong probability that he will succeed former Senator Blackburn as Governor of the Canal Zone, is one which can be unqualifiedly commended as wise and merited.

Our only regret is that Kentucky must lose the services of an able, honest and devoted public official, one who has made his position under the State administration singularly useful and honorable. Mr. Thatcher is a man of unusual gifts, quiet and assuming in demeanor, but possessed of a keen mind, cultured and informed in many spheres of learning, and capable of expressing his views in clear, logical and elegant English. As an organizer he is one of the most efficient men to whom the Republican party could turn in Kentucky. If he has a fault politically it is his unwillingness to stoop to tricks that less scrupulous politicians are too ready to adopt. For his fault all good citizens admire him.

In his work as State Inspector and Examiner he has shown the greatest fidelity, and his one disappointment has been that a stupid, lobby-controlled Legislature did not enact his bill providing for a uniform system of accounting. Doubtless this omission will be remedied at some later date, and in any event the credit of the effort is his.

Mr. Thatcher in Panama will have further opportunity to distinguish himself. Some reputations have been buried in the big ditch; others are in the making. We feel safe in predicting that the man Kentucky gives to the gigantic task, will return when his service is ended, with a fame extending far beyond the borders of the Commonwealth.—The Louisville Herald.

Halley's comet and Mt. Etna must now be classed among the most prominent insurgents.

Even though Standard Oil is wiped out, there's going to be considerable of a grease spot left.

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Tony Doodney,
Barbourville, Ky.

LOST—(one red sow shoat, weight about 80 lbs, short tail, clip out o right ear and fore bit cut out of left. Any information leading to discovery or return of same will be thankfully received.

Clarence Crensy,
Barbourville, Ky.

In this issue is an open letter to the Edwards Organ, written by Wesley J. Barnes, which is a scorching criticism. Mr. Barnes tells us that he furnished a copy of the letter to Edwards' Editor requesting its publication, but he failed to publish it. A lopsided Editor, who owes his existence to a boss, does not like to print anything except by consent of his master, who owns him, and dictates and writes slanderous editorials for his paper, in an attempt to assassinate the personal character of as good, true and loyal a Republican as ever breathed the free air of the Eleventh District, because that Republican dares to claim the right of a true American citizen to run for an office; one who had suffered ten long years because he had contended mightily for Republicanism.

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THIS DOCUMENTS.

"I like you, Fred. I like your looks; But you've never read!" And she shook her head—"Five feet of books!"

"Mere bookish lore, My dearest Pearl," Said Fred, "is a bore! But I do adore Five feet of girl."

LOST—Monday, a silver bar pin. Finder please return to Bertha Lytle and receive reward.

REDUCTION IN TAPS

As a special inducement to patrons wanting to take water, the water company will make taps until June 1st, 1910 at \$7.50.

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PERSONALS Around Town

Mrs. Alex Wilson is visiting in Corbin this week.

J. I. Bryant, of Corbin, was in town Monday on business.

Judge S. B. Dishman has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Prof. J. Lloyd Creech returned Saturday from an extended trip to Casey county.

Miss Mary Sawyer accompanied her sister and Mr. Ross to Cumberland Gap Sunday.

Let Ralph Tuggle estimate your wall paper for you, and he will also put it on for you.

G. E. Williams, of Pineville, stopped here en route to Corbin Tuesday to attend the dance.

Mrs. D. K. Rawlings spent a few days here last week with her husband, who is in court here.

Samples of Robert Graves' wall paper can be seen at England's store.--Ralph Tuggle, Agt.

Wm. Stanfill returned to Lexington Monday afternoon to resume his studies at State College.

Miss Jane Sullivan returned Tuesday from Danville, where she spent Easter week-end with her mother, Mrs. Della Sullivan.

H. P. Woraham, of Hamden, Mo., who has been visiting relatives and friends in this county for some time, left for his home this week, but before leaving he called at this office and subscribed for two copies of the Mountain Advocate to be sent to his two sons in Missouri, as he said they wanted to get the news from Knox county, and the Advocate was the best means of getting it.

Mrs. Wm Lewis came over from London and spent a few days last week with her husband, Judge Lewis, who is holding court here.

Phone Ralph Tuggle and let him show you the samples he has of Robert Graves Co., the greatest wall paper manufacturers in the world.

Have you seen those new samples that Ralph Tuggle has of wall paper? They are the nicest ever shown here and come direct from the factory.

C. C. Comstock, of Corbin, was in this city last Sunday, as is his custom frequently of late. There seems to be quite an attraction here for him.

Caleb Powers left Wednesday for Owsley and adjoining counties, where he goes to meet and address the voters, relative to his Congressional race.

Mrs. J. Frank Hawn and son, Louis (Mike), who have been spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla., will return to their home here to-morrow.

Mr. E. C. Merrill, of Lexington, a prominent newspaper man, is here at the Hotel Jones. Mr. Merrill will write us up to a finish in the daily papers while here.

Prof. G. B. Lytle returned to this city after an extended visit to relatives in Manchester. He will leave this week for Louisville, where he has been tendered a position as traveling salesman.

Capt. John A. Geary, of Lexington, has been the guest since last Saturday, of his son E. A. Geary and family in this city. The Captain has made many fast friends here since he first undertook to install our splendid water works system.

Caleb Powers came in last Sunday from a speaking tour of the Eastern part of the District and reports that he has met with great encouragement at every appointment. Large crowds have greeted him everywhere and in many precincts there is not a man to be found who will vote against him.

Robert Faulkner returned last Tuesday to Lexington to resume his studies.

LOCAL LOOM BREVITIES.

April Fool.

Trees are blooming.

Gardens are coming up.

House cleaning is now in order.

To-day, April 1st, is all fools' day.

Did any one ever see such a March as the one just closed? Not a bad day in the entire month.

The Union College base ball team defeated the Barbourville Tigers last Saturday in a somewhat one-sided game, the score being 14 to 2.

Preaching at the Baptist Church Sunday morning at 11, and evening at 7 o'clock, by Rev. Pope, of Tennessee. A large audience should greet this learned divine.

SPLENDID LECTURE.

Prof. R. T. Stevenson delivered a lecture at Union College last Monday night. Subject "Lincoln," which was enjoyed by the large audience present.

Prof Stevenson is a son of Dr. Stevenson, former President of Union College, and well known to the people of this city.

NEW ORGAN INSTALLED.

The First Methodist Church has installed a new organ, purchased from the Adler Organ Co., of Louisville, whose ad appears in this paper. The organ is pronounced a perfect instrument by those who are judges of such matter and gives entire satisfaction to the Church. Those who contemplate buying should write to the Adler Organ Co., and learn their prices and terms.

New Business House.

John H. Lawson has begun to erect a new two-story brick business house on the corner of Main Street and Public Square, on the lot purchased last year from Alex Sevier. The building will be 50x90 feet. The first floor will be used for mercantile purposes, while the second floor will be fitted up for offices. This means a covering up of a multitude of noxious weeds on the Public Square.

LUNSFORD--CATRON.

Last Tuesday evening, at the home of the bride, on Main Street, in this city, the marriage vows were solemnized between Mr. J. Fred Catron, our City Attorney, and Mrs. Fannie Lunsford, widow of Nimrod Lunsford, deceased.

Only a few of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony.

The Advocate extends best wishes to this happy couple and wishes them long life and happiness.

SAWYER--ROSS.

Last Sunday afternoon Mr. Howard Ross and Miss Georgia Sawyer eloped to Cumberland Gap and were married. The happy couple returned on the night train of the same day.

Mr. Howard Ross is a son of the Superintendent of the mines at Trosper; while the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, of this city, and is one of our most beautiful and attractive young ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross were given a shower party Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Faulkner, and were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. The couple will make their future home at Trosper.

The Advocate joins a host of friends in wishing them many happy years of wided life.



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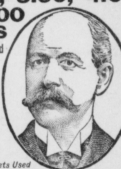
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